

***Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP)
Fact Sheet December 2017***

Background: CSFP is a USDA funded supplemental food program administered by the CDSS. The program provides administrative funds and USDA commodities to a network of food banks to improve the health of seniors in California by supplementing their diets with nutritious foods.

Providers: The CSFP program is currently operated in California through ten (10) agencies:

- ❖ Jacobs & Cushman San Diego Food Bank
- ❖ San Francisco Food Bank
- ❖ Community Action Partnership of Orange County
- ❖ The Modesto Love Center
- ❖ The Redwood Empire Food Bank
- ❖ The Los Angeles Regional Food Bank
- ❖ Community Action Partnership of Kern County
- ❖ Food Share, Inc.
- ❖ Sacramento Food Bank & Family Services
- ❖ Food Bank of Contra Costa & Solano

Funding: The Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) 2017, California received \$6,987,122 in CSFP funding.

Foods Packages:

Food packages include a variety of items such as cereal, non-fat dry and UHT milk, juice, oats, rice, pasta, peanut butter, dry beans, canned meat, poultry, salmon, tuna, and canned fruits and vegetables.

Eligibility to Participate:

- ❖ Elderly people at least 60 years of age

Requirements for Eligibility:

- ❖ Participants must reside in agency service County. Elderly participants must have income at or below 130 percent of the current Federal Poverty Income Guidelines.

Distributions: For the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) period October 1, 2016 through September 30, 2017, a total of 29,899,275 pounds of food was distributed. The value of CSFP foods for the Federal Fiscal Year (FFY) is \$ 21,024,831.98.

People Served: California Assigned Caseload 97,070 participants are served monthly.